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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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Entry papers filed herewith on March 11, 1998

For: NEW PICORNAVIRUSES, VACCINES AND DIAGNOSTIC KITS

Attention: PCT OFFICE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**  
**AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please note that the amended sheets 28, 29, 30 and 31 attached to the International Preliminary Examination Report (Annexes) and submitted herewith, have replaced the originally filed pages 28 - 31 of the application. The claims to be examined and amended by this preliminary amendment are found on **amended sheets 28-31**.

✓Claim 5, line 2, delete "any one of claims 1-3" and insert --claim 1--.

✓Claim 6, line 2, delete "any one of claims 1-3" and insert --claim 1--.

✓Claim 7, line 2, delete "according to claim 5";

line 5, delete "according to any one of claims 1-3";

line 7, after "virus" insert a period -- . --;

delete line 8 in its entirety.